



**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
McALLEN, TEXAS**

**ATTACHMENT TO CRIMINAL COMPLAINT:**

M-16-945 -M

**RE: John Edwin Tetzalaff**

**CONTINUATION:**

Trooper Akin approached the vehicle and discovered eight subjects in the back passenger area of the Ford Expedition.

After a search of the area, three subjects were apprehended in the brush.

Border Patrol Agents conducted an immigration check. The driver, John Edwin Tetzalaff, was found to be a United States Citizen. The passengers and three subjects discovered in the brush were all found to be illegally present in the United States. All the subjects were placed under arrest and read their Miranda Rights. Everyone was transported to the McAllen Border Patrol Station for processing.

**PRINCIPAL**

John Edwin Tetzalaff was read his Miranda Rights. He understood his rights and did not provide a sworn statement.

**MATERIAL WITNESSES**

Blanca Mirian Navarrete, a citizen of El Salvador, and Ana Maria Torres-Gonzalez De Zamora, a citizen of Guatemala, were read their Miranda Rights. Both understood their rights and provided a sworn statement without the presence of an attorney.

Navarrete stated she was crossed into the United States illegally with the help of a Guide. She was going to pay \$1000 Mexican Pesos and was traveling to Maryland. She crossed the Rio Grande River with several other people. After crossing into the United States, the Guide told them a truck would show up to pick them up. About fifteen minutes later, a large, grey truck with an enclosed back picked everyone up. When Navarrete was boarding the vehicle the driver told her to get in. Navarrete identified John Edwin Tetzalaff as the driver of the vehicle through a photo lineup.

Torres stated that her husband made all the smuggling arrangements. She was going pay \$7,500 USD. She was going to Los Angeles, CA to reunite with her husband. Torres claims she crossed the Rio Grande River with several others. Torres and the others made their way to a paved road and were instructed to wait for a beige truck. A truck stopped at their location and they all boarded it. Torres identified John Edwin Tetzalaff as the driver of the vehicle through a photo lineup.